

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Toshiaki SASAKI, et al.

Serial No: 10/588,708

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For: SUBSTRATE FOR THIN-FILM SOLAR
CELL, METHOD FOR PRODUCING THE
SAME, AND THIN-FILM SOLAR CELL
EMPLOYING IT

Art Unit: 1795

Examiner: Shannon M. Gardner

APPEAL BRIEF TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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Dear Sir:

Please find enclosed an Appeal Brief for the above-identified application.

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Respectfully submitted,

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